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For: FIBRE OPTIC BASED SEMICONDUCTOR

MICRO SENSORS FOR SENSING PRESSURE

OR TEMPERATURE, FABRICATION METHODS OF SAID SENSORS, AND A METHOD OF SECURING AN OPTICAL

FIBRE TO A SILICON BLOCK

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REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Requirement dated October 6, 2006, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.